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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows. No fees are considered due at this time.

In the claims:

Amend claims 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 and 30 through 32 as follows:

17. (Amended) A method for modulating a disease or condition associated with phospholipase D (PLD) initiated polymorphoneutrophil (PMN) inflammation in a subject, comprising

administering to the subject an effective anti-inflammatory amount of a lipoxin analog having the formula